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TITLE: System and Method for Enhancing Speech Intelligibility for the
Hearing Impaired

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NEW APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

Dear Sir:

Enclosed for filing is a patent application of Jerome H. Lemelson, Robert D.
Pedersen and Tracy D. Blake, inventors.

1. TYPE OF APPLICATION

The enclosed is for an original application, entitled "System and Method for
Enhancing Speech Intelligibility for the Hearing Impaired."

2. PAPERS ENCLOSED WHICH ARE REQUIRED FOR FILING DATE UNDER 37
C.F.R. § 1.53(b)

32 pages of specification including title page (1-32)
16 pages of claims (33-48)
1 page of abstract
10 sheets of formal drawings

3. ADDITIONAL PAPERS ENCLOSED

Enclosed also in support of this application are:

- (1) Declaration
- (2) Certificate of Ownership and Assignee's Power of Attorney
- (3) Executrix's Proof of Authority

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4. FEE CALCULATION (37 C.F.R. § 1.16)

This is a Large entity patent application:

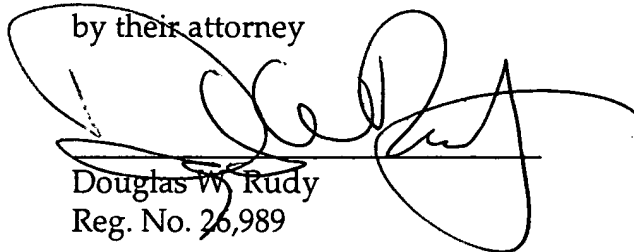
Basic Fee:	\$ 690.00
48 Total Claims - 20 = 28 extra x \$18.00 =	504.00
9 Independent Claims-3 = 6 extra x \$78.00 =	468.00
Total Fees:	\$1,662.00

A check in that amount is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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